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TO AMEMBASSY LUSAKA NIACT IMMEDIATE

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FOR CLINGERMAN FROM MOOSE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PBOR, CASC, MOPS, ZA, CG

SUBJECT: CHARGE'S TRAVEL PLANS

REF: LUSAKA 1778

1. I AM CONCERNED OVER THE POSSIBILITY OF A SPILLOVER FROM ZAIRE WHICH WOULD AFFECT AMCITS IN ZAMBIA. WITHOUT IMPLYING ANY LACK OF CONFIDENCE IN BARCAS, I HAVE MISGIVINGS ABOUT YOUR NOT BEING AVAILABLE AND OF THE POST BEING SHORTHANDED IN A TIME OF CRISIS. BUT THIS DOES NOT REPEAT NOT NECESSARILY MEAN YOU AND POLLY MUST PASS UP THE CHIEFS OF MISSION CONFERENCE IN NAIROBI.

2. I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE YOUR VIEWS ON THE NECESSITY OF YOUR REMAINING IN LUSAKA DURING THIS PERIOD OF POTENTIAL TROUBLE. MEANWHILE, YOU SHOULD MAKE ALTERNATE TRAVEL RESERVATIONS TO NAIROBI WHICH WOULD HAVE YOU LEAVE LUSAKA  
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ON MAY 23 OR 24.

3. IF IT APPEARS THAT YOUR PRESENCE IN LUSAKA WILL NOT BE NEEDED, I WILL SEND YOU WORD TO GO ON TO NAIROBI .

4. I CAN IMAGINE WHAT THIS PLANNED TRIP MEANS TO YOU BOTH. SHOULD IT NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO GO TO NAIROBI

NOW, I WILL MAKE SURE THAT YOU ARE SCHEDULED FOR A COMPAR-  
ABLE SUBSTITUTE VERY SOON. VANCE

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